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## PERSONALS

Helen O. Price, Local Reporter

Opal and Joe Caudill motored to Salyersville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Bach visited Sunday at Lee City.

Eugene Little left Monday to be with his parents at Morrow, Ohio.

Estill Burchett went to Louisville Monday in search of employment.

Eldon Howard spent the week end at Prestonsburg with his uncle, J. W. Howard.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Nickell have as their house guest, Alice Lyle, of Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Taulbee and daughter, of Paintsville, spent the week end here.

Miss Carolyn Elam of Pikeville was a week end guest at the home of W. A. Caskey.

Charles Ray Wells went to Louisville Monday, where he will try to find employment.

Miss Jean Stacy of Bethel Chapel spent a few days recently with her sister, Mrs. Carl Burton.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Nickell moved recently into an apartment in their building on Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Barber and son George, of Crockett, spent Sunday with relatives at Dehart.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Reeves and Ruth Evelyn Franklin made a business trip to Lexington Saturday.

Harold Rose, who works at Louisville, spent Saturday afternoon here with his aunt, Mrs. Vennie Nickell.

Jack Saltsman spent the week end at Bardstown and brought back Mrs. Saltsman, who had been visiting there.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn B. Wells, Miss Catherine Wells, and Miss Joyce Ashley motored to Natural Bridge Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Long of Middletown, Ohio, were week end guests of his brother, L. C. Long, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Auxier of Paintsville and Mrs. Nell Rose were collecting antiques in the county last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Howard and children and Mrs. Vennie Nickell and daughter Mildred were at Morehead Saturday.

Mrs. Lizz Ann Elam, and Mrs. Opal Elam and son James Richard visited Sunday Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Perry at Jones Creek.

Mrs. Leonidas Peyton and son Richard Earl visited last week at Cannel City with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Elam.

W. C., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fleming, has gone to Hopkinsville for a two weeks' vacation with his aunt, Mrs. L. L. Futrell.

Arnold Tyler returned Sunday to school at Morehead after spending the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tyler.

Rev. Harlen Murphy filled his appointments Sunday morning and night at Carter City and also preached that day at Iron Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Rose and children visited Sunday Mr. and Mrs. John Flowers, near White Oak. Mrs. Flowers returned with them and was their guest Sunday night.

Mrs. Beecher Green and son Emory Lee, of Wrigley, and Mrs. Watt Prichard and daughter Jean, of Morehead, visited Sunday morning with W. A. Caskey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Blair and children spent the week end at Sandy Hook. On Sunday they were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Prichard to Greenup where they visited Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Prichard and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kitchen.

The following persons enjoyed a picnic last Thursday night about three miles west of Wrigley: Misses Helen Walter, Floris Cox, Betty Carter, Carolyn Blair, and Helen Price, and Roy Nickell, Boyd Allen Ceell, Major Gardner, Henry Stacy, William Allen Blair, and Asa Gullett.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonidas Peyton and son, of this place, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Peyton of Mt. Sterling, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Peyton of Payton, Serena Wells of Payton, and Mrs. Rosa Belle Peyton were called last Sunday to Sunman, Ind., because of the death of Mrs. Kelly Peyton. The body was brought to Cannel City for burial Tuesday.

Henry Carter was ill this week with septic sore throat.

W. M. Henry of Kenova, W. Va., spent Sunday with his mother at Flatwoods.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Dyer and Mrs. Chess Dyer attended church at Blaze Sunday.

Janice Burton spent last week at Bethel Chapel with her grandmother, Mrs. Renny Stacy.

Mrs. Ida Henry and Mrs. Henry Carr Rose made a business trip to Mt. Sterling last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McKenzie visited her mother, Mrs. E. B. Deniston, of Lenox, last week.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Wheeler and daughter and grandson, of Olive Hill, made a short visit here Sunday.

Prichard Caskey, formerly of Jamestown, is now here with his father, W. A. Caskey, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fleming and children, Valdin Davis, and Ethel Adams were at Morehead Saturday.

James Amyx, of the Mayo school at Paintsville, spent the week end here with his mother, Mrs. Flora Amyx.

Mrs. W. H. Childers and grand-daughter Pauline spent several days recently at Tar Ridge with Mrs. R. A. Day.

Mrs. E. E. Gilliam and son Billy Price, of Louisville, are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Childers.

Misses Lucille Nickell and Elnora May of Morehead college spent the week end at Miss May's home at Woodsbend.

Mrs. Coy M. Hibbard and Miss Helen McGuire of Sandy Hook attended graduation exercises Friday night at the high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Price, Mrs. J. Wendell Nickell, Mrs. Earl Pelfrey, and Helen Price attended the ball game Sunday at Beattyville.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Williams and Mildred Nickell spent May 17 and 18 at Louisville. Mildred was the guest of her sister, Miss Marguerite Nickell.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Monroe Nickell entertained for Sunday dinner Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Banks of Morehead and Mrs. Katherine Lewis of this place.

Mrs. L. C. Prichard, Miss Helen McGuire, and Mrs. Coy Hibbard, of Sandy Hook, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nickell and W. A. Caskey and family, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Arnett and Mrs. Auty McClain attended the graduation of their grandson, Don Sebastian, from Henry Clay high school at Lexington, Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pelfrey entertained the following six o'clock dinner guests Saturday: Mrs. W. O. Pelfrey, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lowell Gardner and daughter Nancy Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Blake of Jackson and daughter, Mrs. Mildred Walker and two sons, of Campbells-ville, spent Sunday afternoon here with Misses Florence and Josephine McGuire.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Elam and children Gary Lee and Brenda Gayle, Mrs. Alma Bellamy, and Mary Eldridge spent the week end at Morehead with Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Bellamy and children.

Mrs. Flora Amyx, Miss Christine Peyton, and Bill Carter visited Saturday at Kellacy with Mrs. Alice Cox. Christine remained for a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Peyton, also at Kellacy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fleming and children, Mrs. Bess Allen and son Henry Lowell, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Morris and children, and Mr. and Mrs. B. Y. Morris and children went to Wrigley Sunday night where they enjoyed a weiner roast.

Paulina chapter no. 360 of O. E. S. put on the initiation last Tuesday night at Prestonsburg. A banquet was enjoyed at Auxier hotel before the work was begun. Those from here attending were Mrs. Ida Henry, Mrs. Flora Amyx, Mrs. Roscoe Brong, Bill Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Yandall Wzather, Mrs. Jas. Franklin, Mrs. Asa Blair, Mrs. Kathleen Franklin, Mrs. Stella Fannin, Mrs. A. P. Gullett, Mrs. J. L. Blair and daughter Martha Carolyn, W. O. Pelfrey, Mrs. Loula Belle Elam, Mrs. D. H. Perry, Miss Pauline Noble, and Mrs. Archie McClain.

Adrian Lacy of Maytown had business in town Tuesday.

Miss Christine Lykins spent last Sunday with Bessie Hill of Ezel.

Miss Florence Lykins of Dayton, Ohio, was a week end guest of her parents here.

Miss Nell Caskey called Monday on Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Garriott at Salyersville.

Mrs. L. A. Lykins of Owingsville is visiting her son, Hayden Lykins, and family.

Miss Frances Wells spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Dorsey Byrd, at Caney.

Curt Lacey left Monday for Dayton, Ohio, to see his son Guy, who has an injured hand.

Miss Maxine Lacy of Maytown spent Friday night and Saturday with Florence Lykins, here.

Mrs. Wilbur Wilson and Miss Geraldine Wilson of Maytown made a business trip to town Friday.

Mrs. Andrew Oldfield and son Tommy, of Mize, visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom May Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Adkins of White Oak was the Sunday dinner guest of Mary Margaret Nickell.

Miss Billie Adkins of White Oak was the Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl May and family.

Mrs. H. S. Trayner and daughter Marita Ann accompanied some friends to Pikeville on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lacy and Mr. and Mrs. Vurl Lacy visited Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ratliff of Zag.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Nickell had as their guest last week Mrs. Nickell's father, Mr. Turner, from Lexington.

Robert Woodford Howard and Lillian Howard, of White Oak, attended the Hazel Green memorial meeting Sunday.

Mrs. Verna Lacy and son Bernard went to Dayton, Ohio, Monday to see another son Guy, who received a hand injury last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl May and family and Mrs. Mildred May and son Raymond Scott motored to Salyersville Sunday afternoon.

Hazel Johnson of this place is spending a few days with her mother and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Leach, at Licking River.

Mr. and Mrs. Vurl Lacy and children, of Dayton, Ohio, visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Lykins, of this place, recently.

Mrs. Buel Pickelsimer and daughters Ruth and Pauline, of Maytown, were visiting recently Mrs. Finley Lykins of Dayton, Ohio.

Mrs. L. A. Lykins, and Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Lykins and family were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams of Maytown.

Mr. and Mrs. Ova Black and children, of Winchester, spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Black, and other relatives in the county.

Mrs. Walter Wells entertained Sunday her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Conway, and Lloyd Conway, of Sudith, Mrs. C. S. Wells, and Mrs. Lorene May and son Kenneth, of Wells Hill.

H. B. McKenzie and W. M. McKenzie Sr., of West Liberty, and Gon Dyer of Malone were called Friday to the bedside of Mr. Dyer's brother, H. T. Dyer, at Middletown, Ohio, who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thomas and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Thomas were Sunday dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Thomas, on Wells Hill.

Dr. W. L. Wright of Petersburg, Va., was here last week visiting with friends. He was accompanied to Louisville for the week end by Herbert Lawrence Rose and left Monday for Petersburg taking Herbert Lawrence with him for a ten day vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Corbett Elam and children Wiley Mart, Betty Jo, Gene and Bonnie, of Frankfort, came in Saturday to visit Mrs. Elam's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Litteral. They were accompanied by their daughter Lorene, and husband, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hager and daughter Martha Carylon.

Rebecca Hamilton and Aleck Hill of West Liberty, Mrs. Myrtle Hill, Ronald Hill, and Roxie Keeton of Mina, attended church Sunday at Moon and enjoyed a nice chicken dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shafter Howard, Rebecca, Roxie, Aleck, and Ronald also attended the ball game at Crockett Sunday afternoon.

### NAVAL RESERVE

It was announced here last week by the navy recruiter that the navy is now accepting men for the several classes of the naval reserve and men enlisting in the reserve may enlist for the school of their choice. Several of the classes of the reserve are accepting men who are trained in the vocational schools. These men that are experienced will be enlisted in a petty officer rating with pay from \$60.00 to \$99.00 per month. Age limits are from 17 to 50 years. All applicants will be required to pass the physical and mental test. Men who are enlisted as petty officers and may enlist if married.

Former navy men may enlist at the rating last held in the service or for any rating for which they can qualify through an examination. Further information may be obtained when the navy recruiter visits this section or by writing to the navy recruiting office in Louisville, Ky.

### BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Litteral had their children in for Mr. Litteral's birthday dinner Sunday. Mr. Litteral made a 10-gallon churn full of lemonade, which was enjoyed together with a chicken dinner and other good things that belong to a good country dinner. Mr. Litteral received many nice presents.

Present for the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Corbett Elam and children Wiley Mart, Betty Jo, Gene, and Bonnie, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hager and daughter Martha Carylon, of Frankfort. Mr. and Mrs. Victor Black and son Jackie, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Johnston and children Wanda, Cleis Fern, Sonnie Boy, Arnold, and Harry Clayton, and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Roman and daughter Janice Wray, of this place.

All had a merry time and left wishing Mr. Litteral many more happy birthdays.

### BIRTHDAYS CELEBRATED

A birthday party was given Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Wells of Wells Hill in honor of Mrs. Wells and Miss Lillian Wells.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Short, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Brong, Mrs. Boone Wells, Mrs. Mona Wells, Mrs. Jesse Nickell, Mrs. Green Sargent, Mrs. E. D. Adams, Mrs. Walter Davis, Mrs. Buford Wells, Mrs. Roscoe Wells, Mrs. Walter Wells and daughter Wanda Faye, Mrs. Noah Elam Jr. and children Norman and Nono, Mrs. Lorene May and son Kenneth, Miss Lillian Wells, and Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Wells.

The guests were served iced grape juice and cookies. Both Mrs. Wells and Lillian received many nice gifts.

### Entertain for Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Haney of Malone entertained with a bountiful dinner Sunday, May 25, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Powell and children Wendell, Vernon, and Frances Ann, of Winchester; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Haney of Charleston, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Reed Barkley of Freer, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Haney and sons Larry and Danny, of Ashland; Mrs. M. H. Ferguson and daughters Meloyne, Wanda, Dolores, and Mrs. Charles Briscoe, of Cannel City; Wheeler Powell of Winchester; Jewell Haney of Malone; G. A. Netherlands of Temple, Texas; and Mrs. Rissie Lykins of Ashland. The day was enjoyed by all.

### ATTEND CRAFT FUNERAL

The following persons from out of town attended the funeral of Mrs. Martha Craft here on May 16: Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Miller and Mrs. Hiram Bays, of Guage; A. B. Risner of Rousseau; Mrs. Visa Bach of Jackson; Dr. K. N. Salyers and Alma Craft, of Hazard; Charles Combs, C. D. Smith, Freda Smith, and Lige Cornett, of Diablock; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cyzer of Whitesburg; Irene, Hubert, Mildred, and Imogene Bays, of Blue Diamond; Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hammond of Index; Mrs. W. T. Phillips of Liberty Road; and Mrs. Rena Patton of Gordon Ford.

### Move to Missouri

Mr. and Mrs. Ransom Caskey left last Sunday for St. Louis, Mo., where they will make their home with their son Harold, who is employed at the St. Louis airport. On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Caskey and Mrs. Martha Caskey of Long Branch were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Caskey and Neil Caskey.

### Announce New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. William Childers announce the birth of a five and one-half pound son, Sunday morning, May 25, at Murray hospital. Both mother and baby are doing nicely.

### BAPTIST CHURCH

Prayer meeting Thursday, 7:30 p.m. Sunday school at 11 o'clock a.m. Preaching services at 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. every Sunday. Preaching at Wells Hill Friday night. Everybody is invited to attend these services. "Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together." ROSCOE BRONG, Pastor

### CHRISTIAN CHURCH SERVICES

Bible school, 10 a.m., each Sunday. Communion service each Sunday following Bible school. Preaching service 2nd & 4th Sundays, 11 a.m. G. C. Banks, Pastor. Ladies' Aid Society, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. S. M. Nickell, Pres.

### POLITICAL ACTIVITY OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

To refresh the memory of all who are interested we are reprinting certain sections of the Hatch act.

Sec. 3 (a)—It shall be unlawful for any person, directly or indirectly, to promise any employment, position, work compensation, or other benefit, provided for or made possible by the emergency relief appropriation act of 1933 or this joint resolution, or any other act of congress, in favor, or reward for any political party in any election.

Sec. 3 (b)—It shall be unlawful for any person to deprive, attempt to deprive, or threaten to deprive, by any means, any person of employment, position, work, compensation, or other benefit provided for or made possible by the emergency relief appropriation act of 1933 or this joint resolution, on account of race, creed, color, or any political activity, support of, or opposition to any candidate or any political party in any election.

Sec. 5 (a)—It shall be unlawful for any person knowingly to solicit, or knowingly to be in any manner concerned in soliciting, any assessment, subscription, or contribution for the campaign expenses of any individual or political party from any person entitled to or receiving compensation or employment provided for by the emergency relief appropriation act of 1933 or this joint resolution.

Any person who knowingly violates any provision of this section shall be guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, shall be fined not more than \$1,000 or imprisoned for not more than one year, or both. The provisions of this section shall be in addition to, not in substitution for, any other sections of existing law, or of this joint resolution.

Public resolution number 1, 76th congress, in section 4 (a) and 4 (b) provides that:

Sec. 4 (a)—It shall be unlawful for any person employed in any administrative or supervisory capacity by any agency of the federal government, whose compensation or any part thereof is paid from funds authorized or appropriated by the emergency relief appropriation act of 1933 or this joint resolution, to use his official authority or influence for the purpose of interfering with an election or affecting the results thereof. While such persons shall retain the right to vote as they please and to express privately their opinions on all political subjects, they shall take no active part in political management or in political campaigns.

Sec. 4 (b)—Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be immediately removed from the position or office held by him, and thereafter no part of the funds appropriated by the emergency relief act of 1933 or this joint resolution shall be used to pay the compensation of such person. The provisions of this section shall be in addition to, not in substitution for, any other sections of existing law, or of this joint resolution.

The term "administrative or supervisory capacity" as used in section 4 (a) is interpreted to include persons paid on administrative, general project supervisory, or project payrolls, who have actual supervision over any other employee or employees or who are in such positions that by reason thereof they may exercise authority or influence over other employees irrespective of whether they have actual supervision over the work of any employees.

### OPPOSES TAX RAISE

West Liberty, Ky., May 26, 1941. To the taxpayers of Morgan county: So far as I know no effort has been made at Frankfort to secure a reduction of the rate of 30 percent on farm lands, 15 percent on town lots, and 10 percent on intangible property, other than my correspondence and efforts to make them do something about it, and I understand they are reconsidering this raise for Morgan county.

Last year by mistake or error 15 percent was placed on town lots and collected that was never made by the state tax commission, that should be refunded to the owners of real estate in West Liberty.

I am against this unscrupulous raising of real estate for taxes when there are more and more farms that have to be sold yearly to pay taxes where the people are not able to do it, and I have hoped that sooner or later we would get some officers that would fight high taxes.

You know that as a private citizen or as an officer I have always been the people's friend, and I am still fighting your fights.

You know as well as I do that there is not a reason in the world to raise your tax list one third, and I want you to think of this and vote for people that have your interests at heart, for it may come a time right in this primary where we will have to do something about this. I am Sincerely your friend, LYNN B. WELLS, Atty.

### ALL DAY MEETING

There will be an all day meeting Sunday, June 1, at the Church of God, Cannel City. We cordially invite everybody to come on that day and bring your lunch. We are expecting special singing from Winchester. Preaching services at 11 a.m., 2 o'clock, and 7:30 p.m. Yours in Christ, J. W. BENTON, Pastor.

### WISE

Mrs. Johanna Wise was born January 18, 1864, died May 19, 1941, aged 77 years, four months, and one day.

She was united in marriage to David Lee January 24, 1881. To this union were born five children, Mrs. M. P. Briscoe and W. A. Duff, of Stanton, Mrs. James L. Duff, of Middletown, Ohio, and James Lee and Mrs. Curt Haney, both deceased. After the death of her first husband, she was united in marriage to Dr. W. P. Wise of Lee City. To this union were born three children, Mrs. E. W. Dehart and Mrs. Raymond Stoops, of Middletown, Ohio, and Mrs. Arthur Frensdorf of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mrs. Wise was united to the Baptist church in Estill county in 1896 and lived a devoted Christian life until death. At the time of her death she was making her home with her daughter, Mrs. M. P. Briscoe, of Stanton.

Funeral services were conducted May 21 at the Hearn funeral home at Stanton, with burial in the Hazel Green cemetery.

### ARMSTRONG

Chap Armstrong was born March 3, 1876, in Roane county, W. Va., and died May 18, 1941, at Dawson, Ill.

Mr. Armstrong was united in marriage May 9, 1906, to Ollie Henry of Bonny, Ky., who died February 25, 1923. To this union were born three children: Henry McCarty Armstrong, Irene Armstrong Murphy, and Chap Armstrong Jr. There are two grandchildren, K. C. Armstrong and Ollie Francis Armstrong.

He was united in marriage June 8, 1933, to Mrs. Carrie Burkett of Springfield, Ill.

He was baptized when a young man and was a member of the Presbyterian church.

Surviving him are a wife, three children, two grandchildren, one sister, and a host of relatives and friends.

The body was brought Tuesday to Ezel and on Wednesday funeral services were held at the home of his brother-in-law, John Rose. Officiating ministers were Harlen Murphy and W. B. McFarland, with burial in Ezel cemetery.

Active pallbearers were the following persons: Ebb Henry, K. C. Murphy, Harold Rose, Sam Smith, Winfred Henry, and Charlie Ward.

### BRISCOE-CASSADY

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn M. Taulbee of Hazel Green announce the marriage of their foster daughter, Miss Theda Briscoe, to Kermit R. Cassidy of West Virginia.

The ceremony was performed Saturday evening, April 26, at the United Brethren church at Dayton, O., by Reverend Fetter.

Miss Briscoe graduated from high school at the Hazel Green academy and is now a graduate nurse from Berea college and is employed in the Miami Valley hospital, Dayton, O.

Mr. Cassidy is also a graduate of Berea college and is employed at the theological seminary in Dayton.

### Card of Thanks

We take this method of thanking our kind neighbors, friends, and relatives for their expression of sympathy during the illness and death of our dear wife and mother, Mrs. Rosa Murphy, also the ministers, Bros. Harlen Murphy and Hobert Halsey, for their consoling words, and those that rendered such nice singing and the beautiful flowers presented by her loved ones. S. M. MURPHY, AND ALL THE FAMILY, Bonny, Ky.

### TO LEAVE JUNE 14

Oral Pratt, Nelson Bolin, Clay Candler, Kenneth Earl Lykins, Roger Ray Brown, Nicholas Carter, Henry Clay Holliday, and Norman Haney will leave West Liberty for induction at Fort Thomas on June 14, the local selective service board has announced.

Roe Salyer and Leander Riggsby were named as replacements in case any of the above named selectees should be refused at the induction station.

### Registration Deadline

Notice is hereby given that Wednesday, June 4, 1941, is the last day on which voters can register or change registration in time to qualify to vote in the August primary.

STELLA FANNIN  
County Court Clerk

### Card of Thanks

To our neighbors and friends we wish to express our heartfelt thanks for your sympathy and the many kind acts done during our recent bereavement. Your kindness will never be forgotten.

MR. AND MRS. FLOYD CRAFT

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Adams and daughter Janet and Miss Edna Hamilton went Sunday to Dingus where they visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hamilton. They also visited their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Fyffe, and family.

### Coal

Although Pennsylvania is the greatest coal producing area in the world, yielding annually more than 150,000,000 tons of bituminous and anthracite, scientists estimate that the state has exhausted less than 1 per cent of its coal resources.



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### An Idea or Two

Nasty Nazis need nullifying.

American realists must rally around Roosevelt.

President declares emergency exists, but some people just won't believe it.

Don't stay away from church because of hypocrites—there's always room for one more.

As we see it, the worst trouble with our young people is that they are too much like their elders.

There are good Germans, but most of them are either outside of Germany or in concentration camps.

Hitler is proving that Lincoln was right in saying that some of the people can be fooled all the time.

That seems to us a poor religion which forbids its adherents to defend the liberty that permits it to exist.

A farm is a place where you work hard most of your life to save enough money to take a vacation where you wish you were back on the farm.

In selecting our county officials, let us remember that a man will not suddenly become capable and wise just because he is elected to office.

We hope that the failure of Morgan county and school officials to publish financial statements as required by law is their only dereliction of duty—or maybe we ought to say we wish that it were.

Here's hoping that some persons who have occupied teaching positions for the sake of salaries attached can soon get better paying jobs and make room for teachers who know something they want to teach.

"Keep cool, don't get excited, this is not our war, Hitler won't hurt you, go on about your business as usual"—such advice seems as sensible to us now as if our house were threatened by fire a few feet away and some nincompoop should say, "What's the difference, let them put out their own fire, maybe your house won't catch, let's forget about it and go fishing."

### Readers' Opinions

Letters for this column should be brief and to the point. Lengthy articles may be cut down at the discretion of the editor. Writers must sign their own names and are at liberty to express their own opinions within bounds of decency. Anonymous letters will not be published.

Advertising or boosting any candidate for office is not permitted under this heading.

A prize of six months' subscription is being given for the best letter each week, limited to 200 words or less. Prize letter this week is the first one printed below.

#### THE WAY TO PEACE

Morrow, Ohio, May 24, 1941  
Editor Courier:

I enjoy very much the letters sent in to your paper by our many Christian friends. They are very interesting. I note especially the "Christian Pledge" a few weeks ago by Arthur Briscoe and the "Responsibility of Parents to the Child" by Mrs. Noah Nickell. These and many others are very inspiring. For we indeed see the great need of Christianity in the whole world.

We behold our nation as it stands today and wait in agony and suspense for what tomorrow may bring.

We behold the countries in the far east with their terror and horrors of war, as they cry for peace and liberty, and for leaders to lead them on to victory.

But we wonder how many today are beholding our loving Savior as He hung in agony and pain, bleeding and dying on the cross of Calvary to free us from the bondage of sin.

May God help us as a people of all nations to behold this scene, and choose Christ as our leader, and when we do, then it is that swords shall be beaten into plow shares, and the spears into pruninghooks, and we shall know war no more.

MRS. MACK LITTLE

#### REPUTATION AND CHARACTER

Twenty-six, Ky., May 27, 1941  
Editor Courier:

Reputation is what you are supposed to be, character is what you are.

Reputation is the photograph, character is the face.

Reputation is what you have when you come to a new community, character is what you have when you go away.

Your reputation is learned in an hour, character does not come to light for a year.

Reputation is made in a moment, character is built in a life time.

Reputation grows like a mushroom, character grows like an oak.

Reputation goes like a mushroom, character lasts like eternity.

A single newspaper report gives your reputation, a life of toil gives your character.

If you want a position you need a reputation, if you want to keep it you need a character.

Reputation makes you rich or poor, character makes you happy or miserable.

Reputation is what is said on your tombstone, character is what angels say about you before the throne of God.

Reputation is the basis of temporal judgment of men, character is the basis of eternal judgment of God.

MRS. AUBREY ROWLAND

#### AMERICA FIRST

Flores, Ky., May 26, 1941  
Editor Courier:

In these troubled days we must keep our wits about us, think straight, judge carefully, live our own lives in the same ways we have been doing, and not let the panic

#### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

##### DEMOCRATIC PARTY

The Courier is authorized to announce the following candidates for the Democratic nomination for the office stated, subject to action of the Democratic primary, August 2, 1941:

For State Senator (34th District)

J. EVERETT BACH  
of Jackson

C. K. STACY  
of West Liberty

For Representative

F. S. BRONG  
of West Liberty

B. T. MORRIS  
of Woodsend

C. C. MAY  
of Woodsend

For County Judge

WM. ("BILLY") SMITH  
of Wrigley

HARRY MCCLAIN  
of Lenox

CLARENCE CECIL  
of Grassy Creek

W. R. ROWLAND  
of Ezel

M. B. WHITT  
of Wrigley

JAS. W. DAVIS  
of West Liberty

For County Attorney

BEN F. KENNARD  
of Matthew

REN F. NICKELL  
of West Liberty

For County Court Clerk

R. H. FERGUSON  
of Dingus

STELLA FANNIN  
of West Liberty

HENRY CARTER  
of West Liberty

FOREST WILLIAMS  
of Grassy Creek

For Sheriff

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of White Oak

THOS. RICHARDSON  
of Cannel City

D. H. PERRY  
of West Liberty

For Jailor

CHESS DYER  
of West Liberty

OSCAR McKENZIE  
of West Liberty

CORBETT L. ELAM  
of Index

For Magistrate (District 1)

DILLARD ONEY  
of Williams

W. P. (PRESTON) LACY  
of Cannel City

#### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

##### REPUBLICAN PARTY

The Courier is authorized to announce the following candidates for the Republican nomination for the office stated, subject to action of the Republican primary, August 2, 1941.

For Magistrate (District 1)

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For Magistrate (District 3)

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#### AAA CONFERENCE

The growing menace to America from war developments, and the urgency for farmers to increase production of certain foods needed for Britain while restricting production of others, was the highlight of the central regional conference at Charlotte, N. C., according to Dillard Murphy, county AAA chairman of Ezel, who represented Morgan county.

The purpose of the conference was to give farmers throughout the region a chance to offer their suggestions for improving next year's AAA program. Mr. Murphy said. Every farmer was assigned to one of seven working committees which mapped plans for the 1942 farm program to be discussed at the national AAA meeting in Washington in June, he explained, and added that his considerations dominated all the discussions.

Mr. Murphy was most impressed by the fighting speech of Secretary of Agriculture Claude R. Wickard, who declared that this is no time for half-way measures, and that the food and munitions America is producing must reach Britain safely and quickly if the United States is to be defended.

Elsewhere during the conference, Mr. Murphy picked up authoritative figures which show that British im-

ports of all products have dropped from the rate of 65 million tons per year pre war to 27 million tons, due to shipping losses. Thirty five million tons of imports have been regarded as the danger line, he said.

Normal food imports have been at 22 and one-half million tons per year, but this has been cut to 12 million tons. Recently, however, this amount was increased to 14 million tons at the expense of munitions imports, badly as they are needed, because of the growing food shortage, he explained.

He further reported the conference as follows:

R. M. Evans, administrator of the AAA, outlined the job of the Triple A under present conditions, and pointed out that the farm program is protecting farmers from the worst price depressing effect of the war.

He emphasized that the program gives farmers an unequalled opportunity to serve the country at this time by adjusting production quickly to the needs of the hour.

Director Finn emphasized that the responsibility for the successful operation of the farm program rests squarely on the shoulders of the committeemen whom the farmers have elected. "Much has been accomplished," said Mr. Finn, "especially in soil building, in adjusting production, in using marketing quotas to control surpluses and especially in informing farmers about the issues that affect them and the nation."

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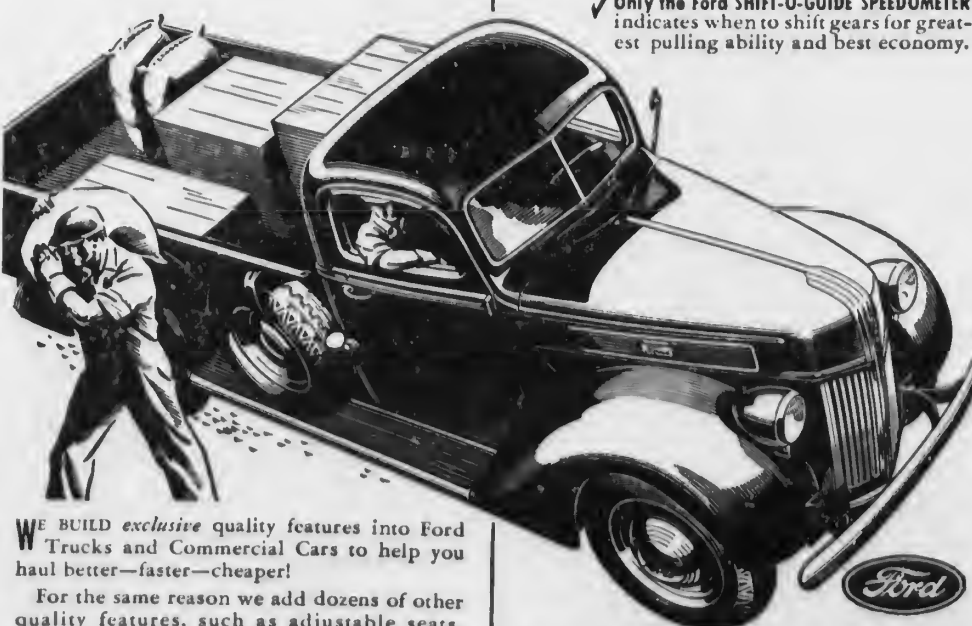
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## News from Correspondents

## YOCUM

**Reported by Mrs. R. B. McGuire**  
May 26.—John Cox of Korea visited friends and relatives at this place last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lewis made a business trip to Cincinnati, Ohio, one day last week.  
Mrs. Jim Oakley and little son visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lewis, at Pomp, last Sunday.

## MOON

**Reported by Nora Ison**  
May 24.—Several persons attended the prayer meeting at the home of Rubie Ison Wednesday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. Autie Conley of East Chicago, Ind., who are visiting relatives here, spent Wednesday night with Mr. Conley's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Smith, of Mima.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ferguson of Keaton were visiting Mrs. Ferguson's parents Friday evening and were accompanied home by her sister, Miss Gretta Ison.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dockie Skaggs and sister Phoebe Skaggs, of Terryville, were Friday guests at the home of their cousin, Rubie Ison.  
Gretta Ison attended the last day of school at Crockett on Thursday.  
Iela Ison, who is in a Paintsville hospital, is reported getting along nicely and will soon be returned to her home here.

## FLORESS

**Reported by Mildred Ilager**  
May 26.—Mrs. Hattie Frederick of White Oak was visiting her father and mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Frederick here, Saturday.  
Rev. C. T. Smith of West Liberty stayed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Frederick Saturday night and filled his regular appointment of Sunday school here Sunday.  
Miss Joan Frederick, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Frederick of White Oak, spent a few days with her grandparents of this place. She returned to her home Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Kelly McGraw of Ashland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pelfrey, of this place.  
Miss Georgia Williams of this place left Saturday to stay with her sister, Mrs. Rodney Cottle of West Liberty, who has measles.  
R. H. Nickell filled his regular appointment here Sunday. He left the appointment for the next Saturday night and Sunday.  
Miss Eulene Patrick, who had been with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly McGraw of Ashland, has returned to her home here.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Pelfrey are the proud parents of a fine baby girl born May 14—Glois Shirlen.

## ZAG

**Reported by Mary A. Carpenter**  
May 24.—Tom, Rosa, and Russell Vandyske and Bethel Ferguson and daughter Jean, of Illinois, were visiting relatives at this place last week and were accompanied home by Edith Carpenter of this place.  
Tom Conley was in Mt. Sterling one day last week on business.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Carter, Charles Carter, Johnny Carter, Mary Lou Fairchild, and Elsa Ferguson and daughter Janice, of this place, and Russell Vandyske and Bethel Ferguson and daughter Jean, of Illinois, ate supper at D. K. Ferguson's one night last week.  
Lorraine Carpenter, who had been working in Mexico, returned home one day last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cottle of Dehart attended Sunday school here Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Willie Peyton and son Kenneth, Ailene Robbins and Dorothy Robbins, of Dehart, visited W. G. Robbins Sunday.  
Norman Robbins, Elmo, and Eugene Hale, and Junior Carpenter, of Dehart, attended church here Saturday night.  
Denzil Ferguson, who had been working in Osborn, Ohio, has returned home.  
Roger Brown and Alton Barnett, who have been working in Yellow Springs, Ohio, are back on a visit.

## INSKO

**Reported by Mary McCarty**  
May 26.—Mrs. Caroline Ferguson of Grassy Creek spent last week here with her son, H. H. Ferguson, and family.  
Misses Wilma Rae and Yvonne Stamper, of Sellers, spent last week end with Miss Vergie Ellen Nickell at this place.  
Mr. and Mrs. Kelse Risner of Lee City and Mrs. Martha Risner of Belknap visited Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ferguson and family, at this place, Saturday afternoon.  
Misses Billy Howard and Esther Wilson, of Cannel City, were visiting at this place Sunday afternoon.  
Misses Eloise and Norma Jean Dykes and Mrs. Estil Robinson, of Helechwah, spent Sunday with Miss Mary McCarty at this place.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Lacy of Cannel City spent the week end here with Mrs. Chesley Nickell.  
Mrs. Price Jones and son Jasper Jr. made a business trip to Lexington last Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lacy, Mrs. Holbrook, and Junior Jones visited friends and relatives at Royalton Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. James McCarty of Morehead spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Algin McCarty and other relatives.  
Marvin and Edwin Lacy were in Cincinnati last week in search of work but have returned to their home at this place.  
Miss Carrie Margaret Jones, who graduated from Mount Carmel high school last Thursday, is now at her home at this place, where she will spend the summer.  
Leslie Arnett and son Willard, who are working in Magoffin county, spent the week end here with home folks.  
Mrs. C. L. Holliday spent last Sunday with relatives at Hazel Green.

## FLORESS

**Reported by Mrs. Hazel Elam**  
May 26.—Rev. R. H. Nickell filled his regular appointment at Lacy Creek and was the Saturday night guest of Mrs. Alafair Elam and son Wiley.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wiley C. Elam took Mrs. Cynthia Bolln to Salversville Saturday to Dr. Hall. Mrs. Bolln is quite ill.  
Manford Williams and daughter Georgia and Emma and Verda Cox motored to Paintsville Saturday on business.

## WONNIE

**Reported by Mrs. G. W. Oney**  
May 26.—Guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Oney last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Henderson and Catherine and Jackie Azbill, of Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Oney and granddaughter Phyllis, of Floress, and Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Oney and Harold Faye, Wanda Lee, and Sharon Vaughn, of Harper. All enjoyed the day very much, leaving presents for Mrs. Oney on Mother's day.  
Mitchell, 11 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Morris of Mt. Sterling, who was killed with a drag while dragging a grove, was brought back to this place and buried a few days ago. The whole neighborhood sympathized with the bereaved parents.  
Mrs. Buel Jenkins went to Dr. Hall at Salversville for treatment a few days ago.

## WELLS HILL

**Reported by Irene Vance**  
May 27.—Arnold Helton left last week for a CCC camp.  
Miss Juanita Vance, who is employed at John Turner's at West Liberty, spent Sunday evening with her father, John Vance.  
Callers on Miss Juanita Vance Sunday were Venus Vance, Lillian and Vivian Vance, and Mr. Nipper, all of White Oak, and Delbert Houchell of Cancy.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brown and family spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Milford Whitt, at Lickfork.  
Junior Thomas and Virginia May were quietly married Saturday night by Rev. Harlan Murphy, at the Murphy home. Attending the couple were Marjorie May and Cecil, Junior is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Thomas and is employed at the IGA store at West Liberty. Virginia is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence May and is employed on the NYA. They will make their home for the present with the bride's mother. The writer wishes them a long and happy life together.

## LENEX

**Reported by Mrs. Stella Adkins**  
May 26.—Mrs. Jasper Adkins and children Betty, Zetta, and George of Straight Creek, were Friday night guests of her brother-in-law, Willie Adkins, here.  
Rufus Mullins of Straight Creek was the Saturday night guests of L. B. Adkins of this place.  
Mr. and Mrs. Forest Caskey of Detroit, Mich., were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stonewall Caskey, of this place.  
Mrs. Glen Caskey of Rush Branch is seriously ill with measles.  
Miss Evelyn Adkins of this place was a Saturday night guest of her sister, Mrs. Ella Mullins, of Redwine.  
Mrs. Elmer Caskey and son Charles and daughter, Mrs. Lenville Adkins, and Mrs. Leonard Mullins, of Redwine, and Evelyn and Lenville Adkins of this place were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Mullins.  
Misses Sarah Jane, Rancy, and Josephine Eldridge, of Straight Creek attended church at Middlefork Saturday night and Sunday and were guests of their uncle, Bee Ball, and family.  
Mrs. Lenville Adkins and sons were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Elliott of Straight Creek.  
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## CANEY

**Reported by Beulah M. Barker**  
May 27.—Rev. B. T. Morris was called to Grape Creek Saturday morning to be in the funeral service of Polly Perkins.  
A. L. Patrick, who has been seriously ill, is improving.  
Mr. and Mrs. Snowden Johnson of Middletown, Ohio, is spending a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. John Adams.  
Sunday dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. B. T. Morris were Jasper Wright, Mrs. Catherine Daniels and sons Walter and William E., and Polly and Molly Montgomery, of Mima, and Mr. and Mrs. Buford Tippton and children Maybelline and Genis, of Bethel Chapel, and Mary Cochran, and Zelma Adams.  
Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aster Barker were Rev. and Mrs. Clayton Hammond and daughters Jewell and Mary Elizabeth, of Index, Mrs. Elizabeth and Cora Barker, Palmer Barker, Junior Barker, Calvin Dingus, and Mrs. Fleety Hammond, of Lykins.  
Mr. and Mrs. Warren Peyton and son Larue, of West Liberty, were guests of Mrs. Nellie Anderson Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Logan Crace and A. L. Craft attended church in Magoffin county Sunday.  
Matt Walters of Rowan county is visiting friends here.  
Corbett Gibson left one day last week for the CCC camps.  
Mrs. Opal Morris left Saturday for Chicago to be with her husband, who is employed there.  
Clifford Benton, who is attending college at Jackson, spent the week end with home folks.  
B. T. Morris, Jim Ison, and Preston Barker attended county court at West Liberty Monday.

## OMER

**Reported by Mrs. Dillard Williams**  
May 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Milford Williams of Ebon spent Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Williams, and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dock Goodpaster were shopping at Ezel Saturday.  
Forest Williams and daughter, of Grassy Creek, spent Sunday afternoon with his uncle, D. L. Williams, and family.  
Earl Byrd of Paintsville and Glen Byrd of Middletown, Ohio, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Byrd of this place, last week.  
Church services will be conducted at the tabernacle Saturday night and Sunday, June 1.

## DEHART

**Reported by Miss Christine Ward**  
May 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Cox of Zag spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Artie Hale.  
Miss Lorraine Carpenter of Champaign, Ill., returned home Monday for a two weeks' visit here.  
Alex Hale and Arthur Ross left Saturday for Ohio to be employed.  
Mr. and Mrs. Owen Bach and son, Mr. and Mrs. James Robbins and daughter Ailene, and Ezra and Garland Dennis, all of this place, attended memorial meeting in Magoffin county Sunday.  
Rev. E. F. Dana conducted church at the Bishop cemetery Sunday. A large crowd was present.  
Mr. and Mrs. Willie Peyton, Mrs. George Barber and daughter Jean, Dorothy Cottle, Christine Ward, Cleo Fannin, and Junior Cottle were in town Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ward and family had as dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Peyton and son Kenneth, and Thurman Ward.

## LICKING RIVER

**Reported by Pearl Lewis**  
May 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Milfred Wells of Middletown, Ohio, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wells.  
Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wells of West Liberty were calling on Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wells Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stout came to take her father, J. C. May, to a hospital today.  
Mrs. Sallie Bayes spent a few days with her son, Cap Bayes, up Kentucky river.  
Rev. Wiley Miller, Rev. Sammie Stacy, and Edgar Nipper attended church at Lickfork Sunday.  
John Henry, who has employment near Louisville, spent the week end with his family here.  
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Miller spent Saturday night and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Sallie Evans, at Liberty Road.  
Mr. and Mrs. Victor McKenzie and children Aileen, Oleta, Donald, and Ronald spent from Friday till Sunday at Mordica.  
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wells and Mrs. Boone Wells, of near West Liberty, were in this community Sunday.

## GREER

**Reported by Mrs. Kate Ferguson**  
May 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Cane and baby, of Grassy Creek, were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Corbett Ferguson.  
Mrs. Mildred Mays and son James Edward, who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Ferguson, and other relatives here, for the past three weeks, returned to their home at Muncie, Ind., Saturday.  
Corbett Ferguson, who has employment in Ohio, is visiting home folks here.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Gevedon, Mrs. Carl Havens, Mrs. Ina Gibbs, and Mrs. Mary Smith were shopping in Ezel Saturday.  
Gerald Ferguson, who had been staying with his aunt, Mr. Grover C. Ferguson, at Panama, has returned home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Short and children, of near West Liberty, spent the latter part of last week with Mr. Short's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Short.  
Miss Beulah Peyton and brother, of Panama, visited over the week end with their brother, Dillard Peyton, and family, here.  
Albert Lewis is working at Index this week.

## PANAMA

**Reported by Treva Haney**  
May 26.—Miss Vonderline Hurt, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Elam, Alfred and Revis Barker, of Grassy Creek, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Haney.  
Miss Flossie Peyton of Stacy Fork visited a few days recently with her sister, Mrs. Recie Perkins.  
Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Gevedon of Morehead spent from Monday till Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Artie Gevedon, and Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Adams and family.  
Miss Delores Haney of Grassy Creek spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. Mitchell Peyton, who is ill.  
G. C. Ferguson, who is working at Osborn, Ohio, is visiting his wife and relatives here.  
J. F. Elam of Ashland was the Monday night guest of his daughter, Mrs. John Barker, and family.  
Mrs. Nannie Lykins of Vanceburg is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Artie Gevedon, who has been sick for several months, but is reported to be some better.  
Mrs. Cleveland Ferguson, Mrs. Ben Elam of Grassy Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Asie Byrd, and T. H. Johnston, of Greer, were Monday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Haney.  
Miss Frances Wells of West Liberty spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dorsa Byrd and attended the communion meeting at Grassy Lick. Born, May 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Peyton, a boy. The infant died May 19 and was buried in the Gevedon cemetery.  
Mrs. J. P. Peyton and daughter Beatrice, of Byrd Branch, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Barker.

## DINGUS

**Reported by Nancy Bolln**  
May 27.—Mr. and Mrs. Odford Bolln and children Juanita, Joyce, and Harold Ray, of Ashland, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Beuchlimer and Mrs. J. H. Bolln.  
Edison and Lowell Williams left for a CCC camp Thursday.  
There were 31 people from this place who attended the communion meeting at Grassy Creek on Sunday.

## LEE CITY

**Reported by Mrs. Elzie R. Mayabb**  
May 24.—Mrs. Omer Mayabb and little son Kenneth Ray, of Dayton, Ohio, are spending a few days with Mr. Mayabb's parents and brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Mayabb, and Mr. and Mrs. Elzie R. Mayabb, of this place.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bach of this place attended decoration services in Magoffin county the past week end.  
Mr. and Mrs. Curtis F. Gevedon and little daughter Miriam Evelyn, of Nickell, were Saturday night guests of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Elzie R. Mayabb, and also of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Mayabb, of Lee City.  
Mr. and Mrs. Elzie R. Mayabb and Mrs. Ora Amburn and daughter Mary Janice, of this place, and Mrs. Omer Mayabb and son Kenneth Ray, of Dayton, Ohio, went to Hazel Green Sunday evening. Mrs. Omer Mayabb decorated her father's grave in the Hazel Green cemetery.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bertual Wells of Ashland were Friday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bach, here.  
Miss Gertrude Mayabb is spending a few days with her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Mayabb, of Murphyfork, who are the proud parents of a baby girl—Wawa Ilene.  
The relatives here of Grover Shockey of Jeff were shocked to hear of his death on May 21. He leaves many relatives and friends to mourn his loss.

## ELKFORK

**Reported by O. L. Pelfrey**  
May 26.—Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Skaggs and Jerry Skaggs and his family were at West Liberty Friday.  
Lloyd Osborne of Lucile, Elliott county, visited the week end his sister, Mrs. Glenn Wheeler, and on returning home took Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler and two children home with him.  
Miss Anna Ferguson of this place attended a memorial meeting on Paint Creek the week end.  
Earl Adkins was at Dingus last week end on business and stayed overnight with his uncle, Henry Gilliam.  
Mrs. Midge Cox left Saturday for East Chicago to join her husband, Russell Cox, who is working there. Mrs. Cox had been here for some time visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Conley, and other relatives.  
Mrs. Fred Oliver visited last week end with her daughter, Mrs. Envy Wheeler, on Straight Creek.  
O. L. Pelfrey and L. D. Williams were at West Liberty Thursday on business.  
Gennie Adkins and Okel Hutchinson, of this place, was called back for enlistment in the CCC and will leave Wednesday, May 28.  
John Whitt, who had been staying with his son Floyd for the past two months, went Thursday to stay with his daughter, Mrs. Winfred Adkins, near West Liberty. Mr. Whitt is totally blind now but is in good health. He is in the seventies.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ruby Eyffe and children, of this place, went last week end to Wolfe county to visit their daughter, Mrs. Laura Mayabb.  
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Eldridge of Bascom, Elliott county, visited the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Roseberry.  
The dry weather is cutting the farmers' crops short in this locality, especially oats, potatoes, and hay. Hurrah for the Courier!

## BUSKIRK

**Reported by Mrs. H. B. Chaney**  
May 26.—Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Chaney motored to Hazel Green Sunday to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, where to their surprise they found a well prepared birthday dinner given in honor of the two sisters, Mrs. H. B. Chaney and Mrs. Jack Smith. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith and children Gordie and Kathryn, Mrs. Minnie Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Chaney, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilson and daughter Vernice, and Harold Oldfield, of Cincinnati, and Mrs. Hall Smith of Hazel Green. All left in the late afternoon wishing Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Chaney many more happy birthdays.  
Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Chaney visited at Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Conley at Grear through the week end.  
N. P. Chaney visited his son, R. L. Chaney, at Mt. Sterling, the past week.  
Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Buskirk, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Marion Walter, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Walter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walter, and Imogene Walter visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Powell at Winchester Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Montgomery and Laura Trimble visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lumpkins at Grassy Creek the week end and attended church at Grassy Lick.  
Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Rose visited Mr. and Mrs. Levi Robinson at Murphyfork Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gose and Irene Gose, of Louisville, visited home folks at this place the week end.  
Mrs. H. B. Chaney and N. P. Chaney visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chad Wilson at Sellers.  
Mrs. Rachel Hatfield is still at the bedside of her son, Carmie Chaney, at Grassy Creek, who is in a serious condition.  
Mrs. J. H. Smith and children Gordie and Kathryn, Mrs. Minnie Wilson, and Mrs. Hall Smith, all of Hazel Green, and Mrs. Emily Chaney of Grassy Creek were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Chaney on Tuesday.

## MAYTOWN AND GREASY

**Reported by Mrs. J. W. Rowland**  
May 26.—Miss Sylvia Easterling and friend, Miss Lee Boyd, spent the week end with Sylvia's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Easterling, and returned to their school at Richmond Sunday afternoon.  
Miss Juanita Hill of Sterling, Kansas, college came home Saturday.  
Mrs. Dorsie Ingram spent Saturday night with her son, Willard Ingram, and family, at Tolliver.  
Mr. and Mrs. Cale Easterling and children, of Middletown, Ohio, spent Saturday with his uncle, J. W. Easterling, and family.  
Dorsie Ingram was called Friday night to Grassy Creek to Mrs. Fred Mays, who has measles.

## LEISURE

**Reported by Dora Cassidy**  
May 21.—Mr. and Mrs. Ollie McGuire and children, of Middletown, Ohio, visited friends and relatives here and at Blair Mills last week, and have returned home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Russel Collins went to Hazard Sunday for a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Myrue Collins and family and other relatives there.  
Miss Thelma Reynolds spent last week with her sister, Mrs. J. D. Barker, of Wyett, and has returned home.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cassidy attended church at Blaze Sunday and were dinner and afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henley Oakley.

## ELDER

**Reported by J. F. Mays**  
May 27.—Mrs. Kathleen Craft of Dan spent part of last week with her grandmother, Mrs. H. B. Mays.  
Mitchell and James Cox were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Abbot at Grassy Creek.  
J. F. Mays visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dennis at Dan.  
Thurman Ward was the Saturday night and Sunday guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ward, at Dehart.  
Bernice Peyton of Middletown, Ohio, and Christine Peyton of West Liberty are taking a few days' vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Peyton.  
Mr. and Mrs. Buford Mays made a business trip to Mt. Sterling on Wednesday.  
There will be church at the Peyton cemetery June 1 at 2 o'clock.  
Mr. and Mrs. Stewart McKinney and Thomas Cox had business in West Liberty Thursday.

## MOON

**Reported by Nora Ison**  
May 20.—Mrs. Rufus Ison, who has been confined to her bed for the past two months, was taken back to the Clinic hospital in Paintsville, where she will undergo a serious operation.  
Mr. and Mrs. Autie Conley and children, of East Chicago, Ind., are visiting Mrs. Conley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Ison of this place, and Mr. Conley's mother of Crockett, who has been quite ill.  
Stella Fannin and daughter-in-law and Henry Perry, of West Liberty, attended church here Sunday and were dinner guests of M. F. Holbrook.  
Merida Ison of Argillite, Green county, visited relatives here from Sunday till Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Rubie Ison had as dinner guests Sunday Walker Williams and children Dixie and Crit, of Mima, and Mary Hill and Lula Eldridge of Newcomb.  
Gertrude Ison and Emma Ferguson were shopping in Paintsville Monday.

## FLATWOODS

**Reported by G. B. Cox**  
May 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Hurst Cox, G. B. Cox, and T. H. Henry were at West Liberty Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harve Staton of Cincinnati visited relatives here over the week end and were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Finley Gose.  
Mrs. Mary Belle Kemplin and daughter Norma were in West Liberty Saturday.  
Miss Lillian Ratliff of Salversville is visiting home folks at Woodsbend this week end.  
Jim Craft of Omer was in this section Saturday on business.  
Mrs. Lee Henry and children, of Bonny, Mrs. Mary Belle Kemplin and children, and Mrs. George Oakley and daughter Virginia were Sunday guests of Mrs. George Kemplin and family, of Roe Branch.  
W. M. Henry of Kenova, W. Va., visited his mother, Mrs. W. P. Henry, here, Sunday.  
Lona Gosc, who has been in Ohio for the past month, spent the week end with his family.

## REXVILLE

**Reported by Cora Stamper**  
May 26.—Misses Lena and Lurleen Ferguson of Pekin spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Manning and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lon Stamper had as Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Byrd, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Nickell and son Rufus Carl, and Mrs. Stamper's mother, Mrs. Lizzie Nickell, all of Grassy.  
Mr. and Mrs. Paris Stamper and daughters Virginia and Evelyn were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Oldfield of Mize.  
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Davidson and daughter Ova and sons Wilton, R. D., Kenneth, and Lavon, and Mrs. Joe Mayabb and daughter, all of Tolliver, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Davidson and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. James Taulbee are spending a few days with their son, Rowland, Taulbee, and family, at Sandfield.  
Elwood Elam took Nancy Fay Elam, Burton and Norman Fry, and Marjorie Davidson to Ezel Saturday night for the eighth grade exercises.  
Rev. Ed Lawson of Hazard conducted services at the Caskeyfork school house Sunday and will be back the second Sunday in June. Everybody come.  
Don't forget the pie supper at Caskeyfork Friday night, June 6.

## POMEROYTON

**Reported by Pauline Bryant**  
May 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Chester Halsey and family, of Licking River, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Halsey over the week end.  
Miss Silverene Collins, who is employed at Vergil Little's, came home over the week end.  
Sixty-five attended Sunday school here Sunday.  
There will be church and decoration at the Pomeroyton cemetery on June 1. Everyone welcome.

## JEPHTHA

**Reported by Vencil Adkins**  
May 19.—Misses Wanda Rowland, Glenna Day, and Walter Day attended the play at Crockett Saturday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. John A. Smith of Twenty-six are visiting Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Emma Smith.  
Mr. and Mrs. Earon Adkins are visiting Mrs. Adkins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Fannin, of Crockett.  
Mr. and Mrs. David Lewis of Lenox were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Toney Adkins.

## ARTVILLE

**Reported by Edith Manning and Freda Craft**  
May 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Craft and little son Danny and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Adkins and little daughter Dana Arlene, all of Middletown, Ohio, spent the week end with their parents and other relatives. Mrs. Adkins and little daughter will remain another week before returning home.  
There was a large crowd at the Higgins' Sunday. Revs. Jim Lawson, Taylor Mann, Samuel Whitt, William Brown, and Jim Helton preached. A nice dinner was served outside to every one. They held morning and evening services.  
There will be church and decorating at the Back cemetery Friday, May 30, at 10 o'clock, and at Johnson cemetery at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Back of Middletown, Ohio, visited their parents over the week end.

## MAYTOWN

**Reported by Geraldine Wilson**  
May 24.—Mrs. Buel Pickelsimer of this place, Mrs. Bucher Flaggan of North Carolina, and Donald Hutton are visiting relatives in Middletown, Ohio.  
Mrs. Oscar Jones of Jackson and son Luther, of Detroit, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jones Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Vuri Lacey and children, of Dayton, Ohio, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lacey, recently.  
Miss Geraldine Wilson visited Nancy Ward at Pekin last week end.  
Miss Maxine Lacey was a Friday night guest of Florence Lykins at West Liberty.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wilson visited his cousin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kash Ledford, of Louisa, and her aunt, Mrs. Pearl Meadows, of Olive Hill, recently.  
Mrs. P. G. Holbrook and son Cecil, of Lenox, and Mrs. Flora Williams, of Ohio, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wilson Monday night.

## WAR CREEK

**Reported by Mae Tyree**  
May 26.—Rube Lee Kennard of Wayland is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kennard, here.  
Miss Victoria Cottle of Dayton, O., who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cottle, returned Sunday to her work.  
Miss Lizzie Jenia of this place and Walter Potter of Cottle Bend were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents May 15, Rev. Joe Cottle officiating.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lefe Elam and Matt Elam, of Floress, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Elam of this place.  
Miss Susie Cottle is employed at Floress at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Frederick.  
Mrs. Mamie Tyree and daughter Mae had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ova Black and sons Richard Lee and David, of Winchester, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Black and Charles, Billy, and Clarence Black, of West Liberty, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Tyree and daughter Sylvia Carol and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kennard and granddaughter Ruby Lee, of this place.  
Miss Alta Mae Kennard is employed at Emrick's restaurant at West Liberty.

## EBON

**Reported by Mrs. B. M. Wells**  
May 26.—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Easterling of Eldorado, Ohio, visited over the week end their mother, Mary Wells, and visited Mrs. Easterling's mother at Wrigley on their return home Sunday.  
Virginia Sheets and Mosolete Fugate, of Woodsbend, visited last Thursday night Inza and Jewel Sexton.  
Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Richard, Audna Sexton, Winfred Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Blankenship, and Frankie, Coma, and Arle Bolln attended the memorial meeting at Higgins cemetery.  
Inza Sexton gave a birthday party Saturday night in honor of her sister, Mrs. Elmer Mays, and little niece, Imogene Mays, also, her boy friend, Drexel Williams, of Woodsbend. Present were Winfred and Leon Wells, Eli and Nannie Hasty, Elzie Mann, Junior Cratt, Mr. and Mrs. Rile Lovely and children Hershel and Russel, Audna, Nina, Willard, Jessie, Inza, Jewel, Aretta, and Ernie Sexton, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mays and daughter Imogene, Frank, Ira, and Zana Bolln, Willard Craft, Cordell Wells, Maxwell Cox, Drexel Williams, Edith Pierce, Bill Triplett, Elmer Lawson, Clay Keeton, Earl Isaac, Henry Trimble, and Lummie and Clarence Wallen. Games were played, cake and colcade were served.  
Memorial services will be held at the Bailey cemetery the first Sunday afternoon in June. Everybody come.